

April 15, 2016

Ms. Leslie Peaslee Torres Consulting and Law Group, LLC 2239 W. Baseline Rd Tempe, AZ 85283

Dear Ms. Peaslee:

This is in response to your U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request (GSA-2016-000501), submitted on March 4, 2016, in which you requested the following records related to Calexico West Land Port of Entry project in Calexico, CA:

- 1. Notice to Proceed or estimated start date
- 2. Current construction schedule
- 3. Designated wage determination incorporated into project contract
- 4. Subcontractors list
- 5. Evidence that Hensel Phelps provided a fair opportunity for ironworker subcontractors to bid on the project, i.e. evidence that bid opportunities were issued to ironworker subcontractors

After a careful and thorough review of your request, GSA responds as follows to your request:

Request 1: Notice to Proceed or estimated start date

Response to Request 1: Responsive record to your request is enclosed. In processing this responsive document, signatures on the document are redacted in accordance with exemption (b)(6). This is done because public disclosure of this information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Request 2: Current Construction Schedule

Response to Request 2: Responsive records enclosed.

Request 3: Designated wage determination incorporated into project contract

Response to Request 3: Responsive records are attached.

Request 4: Subcontractors list

Response to Request 4: Responsive records are attached.

<u>Request 5:</u> Evidence that Hensel Phelps provided a fair opportunity for ironworker subcontractors to bid on the project, i.e. evidence that bid opportunities were issued to ironworker subcontractors

Response to Request 5: There are no responsive records to your request. GSA does not issue nor have the requested information on a general contractor's subcontracting bid solicitations as this is not information we would generate or maintain in the Agency's course of business.

You have the right to appeal the partial denial of the information withheld as well as the adequacy of our search since GSA does not have records within the scope of one of your requests. To do so, you must write, within 120 days of your receipt of this letter, to the following address:

Freedom of Information Act Office (H1C)
U.S. General Services Administration
1800 F Street, NW, Room 7308
Washington, DC 20405-0001

Your appeal must be in writing and contain a brief statement of the reasons why the withheld information should be released. Enclose a copy of your initial request and a copy of this letter. Both the appeal letter and envelope should be marked prominently "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

This completes our action on this request. Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Ms. Beverly Chin at (415) 522-3141 or by email to beverly.chin@gsa.gov.

Sincerely,

Travis Lewis

Travis Lewis FOIA Program Manager

Enclosures